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Application of: SRIVASTAVA *et al.*

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Examiner: Gerald R. Ewoldt, Ph.D.

For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR
THE TREATMENT AND PREVENTION
OF GRAFT REJECTION USING HEAT
SHOCK PROTEINS

Attorney Docket No.: 8449-025-999

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 25, 2004, (the "Office Action") Applicants respectfully request that the following remarks be considered by the Examiner and the following amendments be entered into the record of the above-captioned application. Applicants submit herewith: an Amendment Fee Transmittal Sheet; a Fifth Supplemental List of References Cited and Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; Exhibits 1-3, which provide amino acid sequence homology comparisons between heat shock proteins; corrected Drawings (21 replacement sheets for Fig. 1A - 7B); a Petition for Extension of Time; a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 by inventor Pramod K. Srivastava with Exhibits A - I, and a Revocation and Power of Attorney.

Amendments To The Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.